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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION

Applicants : Todd Allen Berg et al.  
Application No.: 10/683,537 Confirmation No.: 2610  
Filed : October 9, 2003  
For : MEDICAL GRAFT CONNECTOR OR PLUG  
STRUCTURES, AND METHODS OF MAKING AND  
INSTALLING SAME  
Art Unit : 3738  
Examiner : Bruce E. Snow  
New York, New York 10036  
October 26, 2007

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action mailed  
May 7, 2007 (hereinafter "Office Action"), applicants file  
herewith a Request for Continued Examination under 37  
C.F.R. § 1.114 and respectfully request consideration of  
the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this  
paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.